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INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 EA-11 IO-14 L-03 H-03 PA-04

PRS-01 USIA-15 SPC-03 AID-20 EB-11 NSC-10 RSC-01

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FM AMCONSUL KARACHI

TO AMEMBASSY MANILA

SECSTATE WASHDC 7611

INFO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

AMCONSUL LAHORE

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TREASURY FOR FINKEL

MANILA FOR USADB

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAID, EFIN, BEXP, PK

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF MAHMOOD TEXTILE MACHINERY

IMPORT BY GOVERNOR OF PUNJAB

REF: A. LAHORE 1209

B. KARACHI 1549 NOTAL

C. KARACHI 1537 NOTAL

1. FOLLOWING RETURN TO KARACHI FROM THE U.S. OF WHITIN
REP PUNJWANI, DPO TELEPHONED HIM OCTOBER 23 TO ASCERTAIN
STATUS MAHMOOD APPLICATION TO GOVERNOR OF PUNJAB FOR
PERMISSION TO IMPORT WHITIN TEXTILE MACHINERY. PUNJWANI
SAID GOPUNJAB HAD FINALLY ON OCTOBER 22 GIVEN APPROVAL FOR
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IMPORT THIS MACHINERY AFTER THREE MONTH DELAY. AS SOON

AS GOPUNJAB NOTIFIES IBDP OF APPROVAL, HOPEFULLY OCTOBER 24, IDBP WILL IN TURN REQUEST APPROVAL OF SUB-LOAN FROM ADB MANILA.

2. COMMENT: APPEARS FROM OUR CONVERSATION WITH PUNJWANI THAT GOPUNJAB SECRETARY OF INDUSTRY HUSSAIN EITHER UNINFORMED OR SPOKE DISINGENUOUSLY DURING SEPTEMBER 25 VISIT BY LAHORE CONGENOFF, REPORTED REF. A. MAHMOOD HAS HAD TWO APPLICATIONS PENDING WITH GOPUNJAB FOR SEVERAL MONTHS; ONE APPLICATION WAS FOR IMPORT OF NEW WHITIN TEXTILE MACHINERY AND SECOND WAS FOR "DIVERTED CARGO" OF TEXTILE MACHINERY FROM U.S. FIRM SACO-LOWELL WHICH ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR DELIVERY UNDER PICIC FINANCING TO FIRM IN EAST PAKISTAN. ACCORDING PUNJWANI, SEVERAL FIRMS IN WEST PAKISTAN WERE VYING WITH EACH OTHER TO OBTAIN "DIVERTED CARGO" FROM PICIC INCLUDING MAHMOOD. KOHAT TEXTILES IN FRONTIER IS NOW TO RECEIVE DELIVERY AFTER RAMAZAN WITH PICIC APPROVAL.
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